CANNOCK

Cannock [Cuttlestone] *(St Luke)* was an independent parochial curacy in the patronage of the dean & chapter of Lichfield Cathedral. They had probably presented ***Walter Hollier c1637-a1697*** about 1663. The parish of six townships - Cannock, Cannockwood, Great Wyrley, Hednesford, Huntington and Leacroft - and comprised two simple constablewicks {Great Wyrley) and {Huntington} and one compound constablewick {Cannock *incl.* Cannock, Cannockwood, Hednesford and Leacroft]}

three constablewicks: Cannock (comprised of Cannock, Cannockwood, Hednesford and Leacroft), Great Wyrley and Huntington.

Cannock [Cuttlestone] TWO MANORS 1.25 17.5 (1086); (cum membris) 1332c; INDEPENDENT PAROCHIAL CHAPELRY [♦IPC] ; St Luke (Pevsner c1200); PRGR 1659+; Peculiar of Dean and Chapter of Lichfield
Curacies: (Bednall)

Districts: Cannockwood, Chadsmoor, [Churchbridge], Great Wyrley, Hednesford, Huntington, Leacroft

Outliers: Cheslyn Hay

CANNOCK (St. Luke), a parish, in the union of Penkridge, E. division of the hundred of Cuttlestone, S. division of the county of Stafford, 8 miles (N. by W.) from Walsall; containing, with the townships of Cannock-Wood, Hednesford cum Leacroft, Huntington, and Great Wyrley, 2852 inhabitants, of whom 1125 are in the township of Cannock. This place was a forest or chace belonging to the Mercian kings, and is supposed to have derived its name from Canute, the first Danish king of England. The parish is situated on the road between Walsall and Stafford, and comprises by computation 20,000 acres, about half of which is still uninclosed on Cannock Chace, a heath about 12 miles long, and from 3 to 5 wide. Of the tithable lands, 4497 acres are arable, 1830 meadow and pasture, 668 wood, and 2993 common: in Cannock township are 1510a. 3r. 26p. There are collieries at Wyrley, ChurchBridge, and other places, in some of which is found a peculiar description of ironstone, called Cannock stone, which oxygenates so rapidly as to be capable of much useful application; and a fine white gravel is found, excellently adapted to ornamental walks. The Liverpool and Birmingham railway passes through Penkridge, about four miles from the village of Cannock; and a canal has been cut at a great expense, by the Staffordshire and Worcestershire Canal Company, from ChurchBridge, to meet the canal at Galey, three miles off. The village is supplied with water by means of a conduit, and leaden pipes from Leacroft, about a mile distant, constructed by Bishop Hough. There is a manufactory for edge-tools at Wedges-Mill, which affords employment to about 100 persons; the coal used is from the immediate neighbourhood. A market was formerly held on Tuesday, but is discontinued; fairs, however, are held on May 8th, August 24th, and October 18th, principally for cattle and sheep. The living is a perpetual curacy, in the patronage of the Dean and Chapter of Lichfield, and has a net income of £144: the tithes have been commuted for £1217. 6.; a good glebe-house was built in 1842, and attached to it is half an acre of glebe land. The church is a very ancient edifice of stone, in the early English style, with a square tower. The parish is remarkable as having been the first curacy held by the famous Dr. Sacheverell. At Wyrley is a living in the gift of the Incumbent of Cannock. There are places of worship for

Independents and Wesleyans. A school founded by John Wood was, in 1727, enfeoffed by Thos. Wood with land, the income of which is £8 per annum; and John Biddulph, Esq., gave a meadow for the use of the master. In 1725, Mrs. M. Chapman bequeathed a small sum for education; the endowment altogether produces about £20 per annum, with a house and two acres of land. A national school was endowed by Mrs. Walhouse (mother of Lord Hatherton), who died in 1843. Castle Ring, situated on the summit of Castle Hill, near Beaudesert Park, the seat of the Marquess of Anglesey, part of which is in the township of Cannock, is supposed to have been a British encampment: it is nearly a circular area of eight or ten acres, surrounded by a double trench occupying three or four acres more; and near it are the remains of a moat inclosing an oblong of about three acres, named the Old Nunnery, where a Cistercian abbey was founded in the reign of Stephen, which was shortly after removed to Stoneleigh, in Warwickshire. A similar inclosure at a small distance is called the Moat Bank. At Leacroft was formerly a mineral spring of great repute. [A Topographical Dictionary of England (1848)]

Parish History

By the 12C the parish of **CANNOCK** was formed probably as a dependency of **PENKRIDGE**.

In 1837 the parochial district of **GENTLESHAW** was formed from parts of **LONGDON** and **CANNOCK.** In 1840 it was made a parish**.**

In 18... the parish of **GREAT WYRLEY** was (probably) formed from part of **CANNOCK**.

In 1870 the parish of **HEDNESFORD** was formed from part of **CANNOCK**.

In .... the parish of **CANNOCK AND HUNTINGTON** was formed ... CANNOCK ST LUKE, HUNTINGTON ST THOMAS and MOSSWOOD ST BARNABAS

In ... the parish of **CHADSMOOR** was formed WEST CHADSMOOR ST AIDAN, HEATH HAYES ST JOHN, CHADSMOOR ST CHAD

Description of Church (St Luke)

A church was built by the 12C. It, or a successor, was extensively rebuilt c1330. There are many later improvements and additions.

Type of incumbent

Parochial Curate	....-1868
Vicar	1868-....

Patrons

Prebendary of Penkridge -----	
Dean & Chapter of Penkridge	....-1345
Dean & Chapter of Lichfield	1345-....

Parish Registers

The surviving parish register of the parish church of St Luke, Cannock commences in 1744. Earlier registers were destroyed by fire in 1858. The original registers for the period 1744-1947 (Bapts), 1744-1949 (Mar) & 1744-1929 (Bur) and Banns for the period 1809-1914 are deposited at Staffordshire Record Office. Bishops Transcripts for the period 1659-1867 (with gaps 1672-83, 1686-90 & 1858-65) are deposited at Lichfield Record Office. [GENUKI]

Bells

►Francis Till e1492-.... **1532**
(Parochial Curate, Cannock, Staffs)
- (as Dominus Francis Tyll, curatus ibidem) c1532 FAS

►Richard Wall e1493-.... **1533**
(Parochial Curate, Cannock, Staffs)
- (in office) 1533 [1915]

►Henry Sear e1531-.... **1571-1573**
(Parochial Curate, Cannock, Staffs)
- (paid a subsidy of 6/8) 1571 1573

►Thomas Peynton {Paynton} c1546-a1635 **1576**
m Margery -----; i 11 Feb 1609.10 Norton-under-Cannock
Will *of Thomas Peynton, Clerk of Norton Canes* (PCC) 17 Aug 1635
(Stipendiary Curate, Cheadle, Staffs)
- (paid a subsidy of 6/8) 1571
(Stipendiary Curate, Checkley, Staffs)
- (in office) 18 Jun 1573
(Parochial Curate, Cannock, Staffs)
- (paid a subsidy of 6/8) 1576
(Vicar, Longdon, Staffs)
- (in office, "Scholaris ruralis et mediocriter doctus") 1593 [1915]
(Parochial Curate, Norton-under-Cannock, Staffs) a1610-d
- (in office) 1610

----- ----- **1604**
(Parochial Curate, Cannock, Staffs)
- (Not named, no preacher, salary £8) [1604 return]

►Edward Cheshire e1544-.... **1605**
{Richard Cheshire}
**** Entry might confuse men of the same surname*
(Parochial Curate, Kingstone, Staffs)
- (as ----- Cheshire, in office) 22 Jan 1584
(Rector, Grindon, Staffs) 3 Jan 1585.6
- (paid first fruits) 3 Jan 1585.6
- (replaced in office [so perhaps never instituted]) 26 Mar 1586
([? Parochial Curate], Weston-upon-Trent, [?Staffs])
- (in office) 12 Sep 1597 [CCEd, "Weston super Trent"]
(Parochial Curate, Cannock, Staffs)
- (in office) 29 Jul 1605
- (as Richard[sic, in ?error] Cheshire, in office) 20 Aug 1616 [CCEd]

Sampson Newton M.A. (*compliant* minister of Weston-under-Lizard) 1603-.... **B30**
Newton, christened on 21 Mar 1602.3 at Weston-upon-Trent, was a son of Francis Newton of Weston-upon-Trent c1570-1612 and Catherine. He studied at Oxford where on 19 Oct 1621 he was a commoner at Merton College and matriculated. At Oxford he graduated B.A. on 4 Nov 1622 (M.A., 6 Jul 1625). He was presumably ordained deacon and priest before 1638 when he was probably in

office as parochial curate of Cannock. Here about 1638 he was styled "Sampson Newton of Canck - minister of the gospel", when he testified to the honest life and conversation of a local preacher Humphrey Vincent ?1595-.... From 5 Feb 1643.4 he may have continued here as *compliant* minister. On 1 Oct 1646 the *Committee for plundered ministers* appointed him *compliant* minister of Chebsey vicarage and granted him an augmentation of £40 to his annual salary of £50 or £60. However he did not obtain possession until after 16 Jan 1646.7 when the *Committee of parliament for Staffordshire* was "to assist Mr Newton to take possession ...". Apparently a *committed* presbyterian, he signed the *Staffordshire testimony* of Jul 1648 as "Minister of Chebsey". His augmentation was paid up to Oct 1650. About this time he was removed "for praying for the Kings Children in Exile". Next Newton was appointed *compliant* minister of Weston-under-Lizard rectory probably soon after Jun 1652 (when a predecessor left office). In Jun 1660 he continued in office as *de facto* rector. In Jan 1661.2 he paid a clerical subsidy of 10/0. On 24 Aug 1662 he did not subscribe to *The act of uniformity* and was thus to be deprived. *Calamy* records in 1713 that "he was Ejected by the Act of Uniformity, notwithstanding that he was Episcopal in his Judgment, and for a Liturgy, because he could not intirely conform." Newton may not have married. No further record has been discovered.

Sampson Newton (*compliant* minister of Weston-under-Lizard) 1603-....
c 21 Mar 1602.3 Weston-upon-Trent
? unm. [X FMP] [nor any children]
i [XFMP]; Will [X Lichfield/PCC]
(of Staffs, commoner, aged 18, matriculated from Merton College, Oxford) 19 Oct 1621 [FOSTER]
(B.A.) 4 Nov 1622
(M.A.) 6 Jul 1625
(parochial curate, Cannock, Staffs) ?1638-?1646
(*compliant* minister, Chebsey, Staffs) 1 Oct 1646-p1650
- (appointed by the *Committee for plundered ministers*) 1 Oct 1646
- (signed the testimony) 1648
- (in office) Oct 1650
- (said to have been ejected from here for praying for the King's children)

(*compliant* minister, Weston-under-Lizard, Staffs)
- (previous minister left office c16 Jun 1652)
- (paid a subsidy of 10/0) Jan 1661.2

On 24 Aug 1662 he did not subscribe to *The act of uniformity* and was thus to be deprived.
- ("senex", in office) 26 Sep 1662 [CCEd]
- (deprived) 28 Apr 1663 [CCEd] [This is the date of institution of his successor]

(c1680) (Weston-under-Lizard) "Weston a Tower and Parish a Rectory. Biterton 5 ho. or 6 in Weston Parish. Tho: Dickin the present Incumbent. Sampson Newton his predecessor, outed upon the Restoration at Barth[olomew]: 1662." [Gregory King's Note Book in SHC 1919 p243]
(1702) Weston under Lisiard: Mr. Sampson Newton [Calamy (1702) p358]
(1713) Weston under Lizard: Mr. Sampson Newton. He was Ejected out of Chebsey, for praying for the Kings Children in Exile: And from thence he removed to this Place, where he was Ejected by the Act of Uniformity, notwithstanding that he was Episcopal in his Judgment, and for a Liturgy, because he could not intirely conform. [Calamy (1713) p633]
(1727) Weston under Lizard: Mr. SAMPSON NEWTON. I query whether he be the same Person mention'd, pag. 409 ? [Calamy (1727) p785] [This was Samuel Newton]
(1778) WESTON under Lizard [R £41/10] Mr. Sampson Newton. He was ejected from Chebsey in the parliament times for praying for the King's children in exile; and from Weston because he could not conform entirely, tho' he was episcopal in his judgment, and for a liturgy. [Calamy (1778) p406]
(1803) sim 1778 [Calamy III (1803) p245]
(1900) Sampson Newton, minister of Chebley[sic], ½ year to 1649, September 29 £20/0/0 [Shaw II (1900) p543]
(1911) XXX [Turner (1911) p]
(1915) (Chebsey) ... Mason, however, was still recalcitrant and on 16 Jan 1646.7 the committee of parliament for Staffordshire was ordered to remove him and "all others "from the vicarage and to assist Mr Newton to take possession thereof (Add. MS 15670 p240, 362, 408; Bod. MS 324 p85, 86, 131) [Newton] Newton. M.A. 1625 Merton College, Oxford, commoner from co. Staff (Foster). Appointed vicar by the committee for plundered ministers on 1 Oct 1646, who described him as a godly and orthodox divine and granted him an augmentation of £40 pa from this rectory, which had been sequestered from Dr Littleton, delinquent, farmer thereof under the dean and chapter of Lichfield, as the vicarage was but worth £50 pa (BodlMS 323 p359; 324 p85, 86, 221), or £60 pa (Roy. Comp., s. 2, vol. xiv p273, 261). This augmentation was paid up to Oct 1650. (LMS 979 p358; cf BodlMS 326 p297; Shaw II p543) Signed the testimony in 1648 and is said to have been ejected from here for praying for the King's children. Became rector of Weston-under-Lizard, whence ejected in 1662 for non-conformity. (Calamy, III, 245; Foster; S. H. C., II, NS p302) [SHC (1915) p57] (Weston-under-Lizard) 8 Newton. Paid a subsidy of 10/0 here in Jan 1661.2. See Chebsey. [occ. 1661 - eject. 1662 p313] [SHC (15) p314]
(1917) XXX [Gordon (1917) p]
(1924) 18n -; 20 NM II p406; 44 NM II p406; 87 - adds nothing [Matthews (1924) p85-8]
(1934) NEWTON, SAMPSON. Rector of Weston under Lizard, Staffs. 1662. There Jan. 1661-2, when paid cler. subsidy. Successor inst. 28 April 1663, on deprivation of Newton. (Ep. Reg. Lichf.: Cal. 633, 785) Merton, Oxf., mc. 19 Oct. 1621, age 18: B.A. 1622: M.A. 1625. V. of Chebsey in Jan. 1646-7 (Bodl.MS. 324.112). Signed Testimony 1648. 'Ejected out of Chebsey, for praying for the Kings Children in Exile: And from thence he removed to [Weston], where he was Ejected . . . notwithstanding that he was Episcopal in his Judgment, and for a Liturgy, because he could not intirely conform.' See above, R. CLEYTON. {A Mrs Newton mentioned in his will} [Calamy Revised (1934) p365]

[father] Francis Newton of Weston-upon-Trent, Staffs c1570-1612
m Catherine -----; m2 2 Feb 1612.3 Weston-upon-Trent: Richard ?M----- of ?Chartley (in Stowe, Staffs)
i 23 Oct 1612 Weston-upon-Trent
Adm *of Weston on Trent* (Lichfield) 29 Oct 1612 [NOT FOUND]
chn: Agnes Newton c 9 Dec 1600 Weston-upon-Trent
Sampson Newton c 21 Mar 1602.3 Weston-upon-Trent
Helen Newton c 22 Sep 1610 Weston-upon-Trent
Margaret Newton i *dau of Francis & Catherine* 18 May 1612 Weston-upon-Trent

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Richard Bourne M.A. (vicar of Walsall) 1612-1687 **16**
Bourne, christened on 5 Sep 1612 at Norton-in-the-Moors, was a son of Thomas Bourne of Norton-in-the-Moors "gentleman" c1582-.... and Margaret. He studied at Oxford where on 21 Jun 1633 he was a student at Exeter College and matriculated. At Oxford he graduated B.A. on 5 May 1636 (M.A., 5 Feb 1638.9). He was presumably ordained deacon and priest before 1641 when after probable presentation by the vicar of Wolstanton *then* Francis Capps c1589-1643 he was in office as parochial curate of Newchapel. From 5 Feb 1643.4 he probably continued here as *compliant* minister but may have resigned before 17 Jun 1646 when he was probably in office as *compliant* minister of Cannock. Here, apparently a *committed* presbyterian, he signed the *Staffordshire testimony* of Jul 1648. It is said that, whilst at Cannock, Bourne had preached a sermon and was leaving his pulpit when a deranged parliamentary trooper shot him in the thigh and "affirmed that Mr. Bourn had a Devil; because, said he, nothing but the Devil could have told him of those Sins, which I have been Guilty of ...". In early Jun 1660 he continued here as *de jure* parochial curate and, by *An act for the confirming and restoring of ministers* (13 Sep 1660), was confirmed in office. On 6 Sep 1660 he was installed prebendary of Lichfield Ufton Decani. He subscribed to *The act of uniformity* on 11 Aug 1662. At Cannock he probably resigned before 10 Oct 1662 when after presentation by Sir Thomas Wilbraham of Woodhey in Faddiley, Cheshire 3rd Baronet c1625-1692 he was instituted vicar of Walsall. In Oct 1663 he was licensed as a preacher by Lichfield. In 1665 he certified the hearth tax for Walsall Borough constablewick and was assessed on 3 hearths at Walsall Foreign constablewick. About Jun 1682 he resigned his prebend in favour of his son Thomas. Still in office at Walsall he died, aged 75, and was buried here on 18 Apr 1687. His will made on 3 Sep 1686 was proved under Lichfield on 5 Apr 1687. His personalty was valued at £161. Bourne married in 1641 to Jane Burton of Norton-in-the-Moors by whom he had 1 son and 1 daughter. Bourne *qua* vicar of Walsall was patron of the parochial chapelry of Bloxwich (where he had probably presented John Bearblock **QV** about 1664).

►**Richard Bourne (Vicar of Walsall St Matthew, Staffs) 1612-1687** **1662-1687**
c 5 Sep 1612 Norton-in-the-Moors *son of Thomas Bourne of Norton-in-the-Moors, Staffs "gentleman" c1582-.... and Margaret (-----)*
m 1641 Burslem: Jane Burton of Norton-in-the-Moors, Staffs
i 18 Apr 1687 Walsall; Will (Lichfield) 3 Sep 1686/5 Apr 1687
(as son of Thomas Bourne of Norton pleb., aged 19, matriculated from Exeter College, Oxford) 21 Jun 1633 [FOSTER]
(B.A.) 5 May 1636
(M.A.) 5 Feb 1638.9
(Parochial Curate, Newchapel, Staffs) 1641
- (in office) 1641
- (probably presented by the vicar of Wolstanton *then* Francis Capps c1589-1643)
(compliant minister, Newchapel, Staffs)
From 5 Feb 1643.4 he probably continued here as *compliant* minister
(compliant minister, Cannock, Staffs) a1648-1662
- (of Cannock, apparently a *committed* presbyterian, signed the *Staffordshire testimony* of Jul 1648.
(Parochial Curate, Cannock, Staffs)
About Sep 1660 he continued here as *de facto* parochial curate
- (probably resigned on institution at Walsall) 10 Oct 1662
(Prebendary, Lichfield Ufton Decani) 6 Sep 1660-aJun 1682
- (collated)
- (installed, on mandate of Lichfield) [D30/2/1/7 f4] 6 Sep 1660

- (then in office, subscribed to the Act of Uniformity) 11 Aug 1662
- (in office) 30 Sep 1663 [B/A/1/17 i p43]
- (resigned, in favour of his son) aJun 1682 [CCEd]

(Vicar, Walsall St Matthew, Staffs) 10 Oct 1662-d
- (presented by Sir Thomas Wilbraham of Woodhey in Faddiley, Cheshire 3rd Baronet c1625-1692)
- (instituted) 10 Oct 1662
- (licenced preacher by Lichfield) Oct 1663
- (not valued) 1665
- (as "Richard Bourne minister" certified the hearth tax for Walsall Borough constablewick and as "Mr Bourne, Minister" assessed on 3 hearths at Walsall Foreign constablewick) 1665 [1666 HT]

chn: Hester Bourne b c1647; m *aged 20* (by Lichfield licence, 9 Dec 1667) John Whittingham of Walsall

Thomas Bourne b c1648 [Thomas Bourne (Prebendary of Lichfield Ufton Decani) c1648-1688]

(1641, Burslem PR) Ricus Bourne minister de nova capella .. parochia de Walsall ... Jana Burton parchia Norton le Moore ... conjugat
(9 Dec 1667, Lichfield marriage licence) John Whittingham of Walsall, 24, & Hester Bourne, 20
(3 Sep 1686) Richard Bourne of Walsall clerke ... sonne in lawe Mr John Whittingham and my daughter Hester his wife £100 ... son Thomas Bourne [executor] ... Inventory (3 May 1687) Total £161

(Cannock) On 17 Jun 1646 the committee for plundered ministers granted to an unnamed curate here, probably Bourne, an augmentation of £50 pa out of this impropriate rectory, which had been demised by the dean and chapter of Lichfield to Mr Coleman, papist and delinquent. On 14 Apr 1654 the trustees ordered that he should be "established" here and receive an augmentation, amount not named, after he had received approbation from the commissioners. On 3 May 1654 Bourne, "former curate" was established here by the commissioners and authorized to preach the gospel, etc. at a salary of £100. On 11 Oct 1655 the trustees made him a grant, sum not named, which they ordered to be continued on 16 Dec 1657. Circa 1658-9 he was in receipt of an augmentation of £80 [1915]

BOURN , -----; Minister of Canock in Staffordshire. He was shot in the Thigh as he came out of Pulpit, by one Bullock a Parliament-Trooper; who affirmed that Mr. Bourn had a Devil; because, said he, nothing but the Devil could have told him of those Sins, which I have been Guilty of, and which, it seems, Mr Bourn had happened at that time to Preach against. It was with much Difficulty that the People prevented him from Murthering Mr Bourn at that time. This Bullock was afterwards Clapt up in Stafford-Jayl ,where Mr Bourn several times went to him; and Endeavoured by all the means he could think of, to make him Sensible of his Fault, and bring him to a better Mind; but the Fellow continued Obstinate, and declared bimself fully Resolved to Murther him, if ever he should have it in his Power [Walker (1714) p413]
BOURN, RICHARD (413). C. of Cannock in 1648, when signed Testimony of Staffs. Presbyterian Minrs. Not seqd. Acc. to W. wounded by a parl. soldier. [Walker Rev. p322]

[father] Thomas Bourne of Norton-in-the-Moors, Staffs "gentleman" c1582-....
m Margaret (-----)
chn: Richard Bourne c 5 Sep 1612 Norton-in-the-Moors

Walter Hollier (Parochial Curate of Cannock) c1637-a1697
Cooke was born (perhaps) about 1637 of unknown parentage. He studied at Oxford where on 29 Oct 1657 he was a commoner at Christ Church and matriculated. At Oxford he graduated B.A. on 15 Mar 1660.1. He was ordained deacon and in Dec 1662 ordained priest by Lichfield and also licensed as a preacher. Likely in 1663 after probable presentation by William Paul (dean of Lichfield) 1599-1665 *pro* dean & chapter of Lichfield he was appointed parochial curate of Cannock. In 1665 he certified the hearth tax for Great Wyrley constablewick (which lay in Cannock) but was not assessed within Cannock parish. Hollier probably died, aged about 60, shortly before 19 Sep 1697 when he was replaced in office at Cannock. Hollier married first about 1667 Ann by whom he had two sons and two daughters. He married second on 23 Nov 1680 at Lichfield Cathedral to Mary Hand by whom he had done son. Henry Hollier B.A. c1670-.... was his older son and was a reader at Cannock for a few months in 1696. Richard Hollier B.A. (Vicar of Colwich) c1675-1724 was his younger son.

►Walter Hollier (Parochial Curate of Cannock, Staffs) c1637-a1697 **1666**
b c1637 *of unknown parentage*
m1 c1667 Ann -----
m2 23 Nov 1680 Lichfield Cathedral: Mary Hand
[? d a19 Sep 1697]; Will NOT FOUND
(as commoner, matriculated from Christ Church, Oxford) 29 Oct 1657 [FOSTER]
(B.A.) 15 Mar 1660.1
(as B.A., of Christ[sic], Oxford, ordained priest by Lichfield) 12 Dec 1662
(as B.A., of Exeter[sic] College, Oxford, ordained priest by Lichfield) 14 Dec 1662
(licensed preacher by Lichfield) Dec 1662
(Parochial Curate, Cannock, Staffs)
- (his predecessor probably resigned on institution at Walsall) 10 Oct 1662
- (probably presented by the dean & chapter of Lichfield) ?1663
(certified the hearth tax for Great Wyrley constablewick) 1665 [1666 HT]
(not assessed at Great Wyrley, Huntington or Cannock)
- (signed Bishops Transcripts) 1666
- (replaced in office) 19 Sep 1697
chn: Ann Hollier c *dau of Walter & Ann* 16 Jan 1667.8 Cannock; i 8 Sep 1670 Cannock
Henry Hollier c *son of Walter & Ann* 23 Oct 1670 Cannock **[SCD]**
Richard Hollier b c1675 Cannock **[SCD]**
Ann Hollier m (by Lichfield licence, 22 May 1711) John Cotterell of Uttoxeter [see bw, Richard Hollier]
[2] John Hollier c *son of Walter & Mary* 30 Dec 1684 Cannock

(1686) Plaintiffs: Booth Basnett and Mary Basnett his wife, George Caldicott and Sarah Caldicott his wife, and Rebecca Wood.Defendants: George Stubbs, Walter Hollier, Edward Wilson, Francis Biddolph, Vincent Lane and Richard Greaten. Subject: property in Cannock, Staffordshire. [NA C 8/344/22]

Probably connected with the Barton-under-Needwood family, because of the use of the name Walter. Walter Hollier was a graduate of Oxford and became Curate of Cannock in 1666. His eldest son Richard was Vicar of Colwich (1700-1724) and Rector of Radbourne, WAR (1714-1724). Another son Henry was Vicar of Aston 1696-1716. Richard's eldest son Henry (1708-1744) was a noted apothecary in Birmingham. [INTERNET] [NOTE i *infant of Walter Hollyer* 22 Mar 1694 Barton-under-Needwood]

►Henry Sacheverell 1674-1724 **1697-....**
c 8 Feb 1673.4 ----- *3rd son of Joshua Sacheverell of Marlborough, Wilts clerk ....-1684 and Susannah Smith (possibly dau of Henry Smith "the regicide")*
m Jun 1716 Mary -----; m1 George Sacheverell of Derbyshire
d *following an accident* 5 Jun 1724 Highgate; i Holborn St Andrew 11 Jun 1724; M.I; Will (PCC)

(educated at Marlborough Grammar Scholl) 1684-9
(aged 15, matriculated from Magdalen College, Oxford) 28 Aug 1689 [FOSTER]
(B.A.) Jun 1693
(M.A.) May 1695
(ordained deacon by Oxford) 18 May 1695
(ordained priest by Lichfield, to title of Cannock, Staffs) 19 Sep 1697

(Parochial Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 19 Sep 1697-....

- (probably presented by Lancelot Addison 1633-1703 *qua* Dean of Lichfield)

In 1697, however, the bishop of Lichfield refused to ordain him a priest, claiming that his Latin was inadequate, a charge which Sacheverell vehemently denied. The high-church dean of Lichfield, Lancelot Addison, supported Sacheverell, who had become a friend of his own son Joseph, the writer, at Magdalen. On a second application for ordination he was successful, and took up the living of Cannock in Staffordshire. [ODNB]

(Fellow) 1701-13
(Chaplain, Southwark St Saviour) 1705
(B.D) 1707.8
(D.D) 1708
(famous political preacher who advocated the High Church and Tory cause both in sermons and pamphlets and impeached by the House of Commons for two sermons favouring non-resistance and condemning toleration; found guilty and suspended from preaching for three years) 1710
(Rector, Selattyn, Salop) 1710-3
(Rector, Holborn St Andrew) 1713-24
(incorporated at Cambridge) 1714 [VENN]
[DNBonline for fuller account]

►**Jonathan Birch 1684-1735** **1712-1735**
c 4 May 1684 Birmingham St Martin *son of John Birch of Birmingham, Warwicks gentleman and Frances (-----)*
m *as clerk* 15 Jun 1725 Lichfield Cathedral: Elizabeth Rayner
d a20 Jun 1735
(aged 15, matriculated from Trinity College, Oxford) 14 Jan 1700.1 [FOSTER]
(B.A., New College) 1704
(M.A.) 1707
(aged 24, ordained deacon by Lichfield) 19 Sep 1708
(priest Vicar Choral *pro* Lichfield Offley) 28 Sep 1708-12 Oct 1711
- (appointed) 28 Sep 1708
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 19 Jun 1709
(incorporated at Cambridge) 1711 [VENN]
(priest Vicar Choral *pro* Dean of Lichfield & Lichfield Brewood) 12 Oct 1711-....
- (appointed) 12 Oct 1711
(Perpetual Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 15 Oct 1712-d
- (appointed) 15 Oct 1712
(Vicar, Spondon, Derbys) 12 Oct 1719-a20 Oct 1723
- (appointed) 12 Oct 1719
(Vicar, Bakewell, Derbys) 31 Jul 1724-....
- (appointed) 31 Jul 1724
chn: Charles Birch c 23 Jan 1728 Bakewell; [? (of St Kitts, British West Indies]
Thomas Birch c 27 Aug 1731 Bakewell; [? (of Thoresby, Lincs clerk)]
Jonathan Birch c 28 Jul 1732 Bakewell
[?] John Neville Birch (? of Leasingham, Lincs clerk)

►**Roger Chandless 1704-1744** **1735-1744**
c *no parents named* 20 Jan 1703.4 Brewood *son of William Chandless of Brewood, Staffs commoner*

d a23 Jul 1744
(aged 18, matriculated from Hart Hall, Oxford) 5 May 1722 [FOSTER]
(B.A.) 22 Feb 1725.6
(Perpetual Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 20 Jun 1735-d
- (nominated by Dean of Lichfield) 20 Jun 1735
- (appointed Perpetual Curate & Reader) 27 Jun 1735

►**William Egginton 1705-....** **1744-....**
c 17 Mar 1704.5 Newport *son of Thomas Egginton of Newport, Salop commoner and Rebecca (-----)*
(aged 18, matriculated from Magdalen Hall, Oxford) 10 Oct 1722 [FOSTER]
(called B.C.L.) [X FOSTER]
(as B.C.L., ordained deacon by Oxford) 5 Mar 1732
(Lecturer, Birmingham St Peter)
- (subscribed on appointment) 16 Aug 1737
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 25 Sep 1737
(Stipendiary Curate, Birmingham St Peter)
- (subscribed on appointment) 26 Sep 1737
(Perpetual Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 17 Aug 1744-....
- (nominated by Dean of Lichfield) 23 Jul 1744
- (appointed Perpetual Curate & Reader) 17 Aug 1744

►**Thomas Cokayne ?1719-1792** **1772-1792**
b Doveridge, Derbys; [? c 4 Dec 1719 Doveridge, Derbys *son of George Cokayne*]
d a19 Jul 1792
(admitted sizar at Clare, Cambridge) 22 Apr 1737 [VENN]
(matriculated) 1737
(B.A.) 1740.1
(Fellow) 1743-66
(ordained deacon by Chester) 27 Nov 1743
(M.A.) 1744
(Stipendiary Curate, Mucklestone, Staffs)
- (subscribed on appointment) 25 Sep 1745 & 20 & 22 Sep 1746
(Rector, Darlaston St Lawrence, Staffs) 26 Jul 1756-a2 Sep 1766
- (instituted) 26 Jul 1756
- (presented by Charles Crewe Esquire c1710-....)
(Rector, Rotherhithe, London) 1766-d
(Perpetual Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 26 Jun 1772-d
- (appointed) 26 Jun 1772

►**William Hockenhull LATER Molyneux c1767-1830** **1792-....**
b c1767 *son of William Hockenhull of Nantwich, Cheshire*
m 19 Sep 1799 Elizabeth Jackson 2nd dau of Thomas Taylor of Lymm Hall, Chester; b 2 Aug 1774; d 4 Nov 1855; i Neston, Cheshire
i 5 Jan 1830 *in the Lady Chapel* Chester Cathedral
(educated at Nantwich under Mr Kent)
(aged 18, admitted sizar at Trinity, Cambridge) 15 Sep 1785 [VENN]
(matriculated) Michs 1785
(B.A.) 1790
(Perpetual Curate, Cannock, Staffs) Jul 1792**-....**
- (presented by Baptist Proby 1726-1807 *qua* Dean of Lichfield)
- (appointed) 19 OR 27 Jul 1792
(M.A.) 1793
(Minor Canon, Chester Cathedral)
- (appointed) 22 Oct 1807
(by Royal licence, assumed the name of Molyneux, pursuant to the will of Bryan William Molyneux of Hawkley Hall, Pemberton, Lancs c1755-1805) 4 Jul 1805
chn: Bryan William Molyneux m 26 Apr 1839 Louise Martina Dodgson**;** (clerk); (of Moor Hall, Ludlow)
Elizabeth Hockenhull m1 John Greenall of Myddleton Hall, Lnacs; m2 Bertie Entwisle Johnson clerk

The Molyneuxes of HAWKLEY continued in possession until the death of Bryan William Molyneux in 1805. By his will the Rev. William Hockenhull of Lymm in Cheshire succeeded, and assumed the surname of Molyneux. [VCH (LANCS) IV]

►John Oldershaw (Perpetual Curate of Cannock, Staffs) c1760-1824 **1796-?1811**
**** Easily confused with John Oldershaw (Vicar of Ranworth, Norfolk) c1755-1847*
b c1760 *son of John Oldershaw of Market Bosworth, Leics gentleman (? and Jane dau of Nathaniel Sturges 1688-1762 [SCD])*
m 20 Apr 1794 Lichfield St Chad: Mary dau of Nathaniel Lister of Armitage Park, Staffs 1725-1793 and Martha dau of John Fletcher of Lichfield; d 1814
d 1824
(aged 16, matriculated from St Mary Hall, Oxford) 25 Jun 1776 [FOSTER]
(B.C.L.) ?1783
(as B.C.L., St Mary Hall, Oxford, ordained deacon by Lichfield) 22 Sep 1782
(Stipendiary Curate, Clifton Campville, Staffs) 22 Sep 1782
- (licensed) 22 Sep 1782
(as clerk, conducted a marriage at Weeford) 3 Feb 1783 & 29 Jun 1784
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 20 Jun 1784
(Head Master, Tamworth Queen Elizabeth's Grammar School, Staffs) 25 Jun 1793-1 Aug 1805
- (elected by Tamworth Corporation) 25 Jun 1793 [Palmer TAMWORTH 432]
- (resigned) 1 Aug 1805 [Palmer TAMWORTH 432]
(Reader, Wolverhampton Hilton, Staffs) 26 Jun 1793-?1811
- (presented by John Fletcher Muckleston 1764-1843 *qua* Prebendary of Hilton)
- (subscribed on appointment/licensed) 26 Jun 1793
- (office abolished by Act of Parliament) 1811
(Perpetual Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 26 Jul 1796-a2 Aug 1811
- (appointed) 26 Jul 1796
- (replaced in office) a2 Aug 1811
(Incumbent, Tarvin, Cheshire) 1796-d
(D.C.L.) 1819
chn: John Oldershaw [1] c 24 May 1795 Lichfield St Chad; (educated at Rugby School, Warwicks); (admitted pensioner at Emmanuel, Cambridge) 5 May 1814; (matriculated) Michs 1814; (B.A.) 1818; (M.A.) 1821; (Stipendiary Curate, Tarvin, Cheshire) 1818
Richard William Oldershaw [2] c 22 Jul 1796 Lichfield St Chad
Charles Oldershaw [3] c 25 Jan 1798 Lichfield St Chad
Mary Anne Oldershaw c 11 Sep 1802 Tarvin; m 11 Sep 1824 Charles Inge (Vicar of Weston-upon-Trent, Staffs) ....-.... **[SCD]**
Henry Oldershaw [4] b c1804 **[SCD]**

►John Sheil e1780-.... **1811-....**
[? (admitted sizar at Trinity, Cambridge [but doubtful if resided]) 29 Jan 1798 [VENN]]
(ordained priest by Hereford) 22 Dec 1805
(Perpetual Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 2 Aug 1811-....
- (presented letters testimonial) 20 Jul 1811
- (appointed) 2 Aug 1811
- (as Jn. Shiel, signed return regarding education of the poor) [PARL (1818)]

►Joseph Butler Barber 1748-1819 **?1819**
*** *ENTRY UNCERTAIN*
c 3 Mar 1747.8 Walsall St Matthew *son of Stephen Barber of Walsall, Staffs gentleman and Jane (Butler) (who m 30 Apr 1747 Pattingham)*
d a7 Jan 1819
(as "Joseph Barber", aged 17, matriculated from St John's College, Oxford) 17 Aug 1765
(ordained deacon by Bath & Wells) 23 Sep 1770
(ordained priest by Bath & Wells) 14 Jun 1772

(Rector, Chew Stoke, Soms) 27 Oct 1787-d
- (presented himself)
- (instituted) 27 Oct 1787
(Rector, Norton Malreward, Soms) 27 Oct 1787-d
- (presented himself)
- (instituted) 27 Oct 1787
(?Perpetual Curate, Cannock, Staffs)
- (as "John Butler Barber" called "Vicar of Cannock") [INTERNET]
chn: Jane Butler Barber c *as Jane Butler* 4 Aug 1800 Walsall St Matthew; m (by licence, 7 May 1818) (as his 1st wife) Charles Thomas Dawes 1793-1863 **[SCD]**; (but had no chn); d 1822

►Francis Theophilus Blackburne c1806-1868 **1841-1866**
b c1807 Spenithorn 1st *son of Francis Blackburne (Rector of Weston-super-Mare, Soms)*
m 4 May 1842 Northampton: Sarah Eliza dau of John Freeman of Pedmore Hall, Worcs 1786-1824; (but had no chn); b 1 Mar 1811 Metchley Grange, Harborne; d 4 Apr 1875; i Ellesmere, Salop
d *aged 62* 20 Feb 1868 "Abbotsford Cottage", Stockton, Tenbury, Worcs
(admitted pensioner at Jesus, Cambridge) 15 Nov 1826 [VENN]
(matriculated) Lent 1827
(B.A.) 1831
(ordained deacon) 1831
(ordained priest) 1832
(Perpetual Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1841-66
- (presented letters testimonial) 28 Oct 1841
(in retirement of "Abbotsford Cottage", Stockton, Tenbury, Worcs)

1866-1872

►Thomas Williamson Peile c1835-1904 **1872-1880**
b c1835 Durham *possibly son of Thomas Williamson Peile (Head Master of Repton School) 1806-1882 [DNB]*
m Elizabeth -----; (aged 58, b Ireland) 1891 C
d *aged 69* cMay 1904 Chichester RD
(at Royal Agricultural College, Circencester) 1852
(J.P., co Kerry) 1859
(at St Aidan's Theological College) 1867
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1868
(Stipendiary Curate, Lichfield St Chad, Staffs) 1868-70
(ordained priest by Bishop Trower *pro* Lichfield) 1868
(Stipendiary Curate, South Hampstead St Paul, London) 1870-2
(Vicar, Cannock, Staffs) 1872-1880
(Surrogate) 1873
(Rector, Buckhurst Hill, Essex) 1880-....
(Rector, Chigwell, Essex)
- (aged 56, b Durham, of "The Rectory", Chigwell "clerk in holy orders (Rector)") 1891 C

►Charles Nelson Bolton c1845-1918 **1881-1894**
b cNov 1844 Ipswich RD *son of Charles Bolton of Ipswich, Suffolk armiger*
d *aged 73* cFeb 1918 Lichfield RD
(aged 18, matriculated from New College, Oxford) 16 Oct 1863
(B.A.) 1866
(M.A.) 1876
(ordained deacon by Carlisle) 1867
(ordained priest by Carlisle) 1868
(Stipendiary Curate, Carlisle St John-the-Evangelist) 1867-72
(Vicar, Darlaston All Saints, Staffs) 1872-81
(Vicar, Cannock, Staffs) 1881-94
(Vicar, Lichfield St Mary, Staffs) 1895-p1906

(Prebendary, Lichfield Dasset Parva) 1895=?d
(Rural Dean, Lichfield, Staffs) 1905-

►**Henry Venn Stuart 1864-1933** **1895-1903**
b 8 Aug 1864 Harrow *yst son of James Stuart of Sudbury Hill House, Harrow merchant*
m 10 Oct 1904 Marguerite Evelyn 3rd dau of Charles James Bird of Buckhurst Hill clerk
d 12 Jan 1933
(educated at Harrow)
(admitted at Caius, Cambridge) 1 Oct 1883 [VENN]
(matriculated) Michs 1883
(scholar) 1884-6
(B.A.) 1886
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1887
(Stipendiary Curate, Burslem, Staffs) 1887-91
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1888
(M.A.) 1890
(Vicar, Wolverhampton St James, Staffs) 1891-5
(Vicar, Cannock, Staffs) 1895-1903
(Rector, Stoke-upon-Trent St Peter, Staffs) 1903-1924
- (presented by Lichfield)
- (instituted) 1903
(said to be "A devoted worker amongst the industrial population of Burslem and Stoke-upon-Trent")
(Prebendary, Lichfield Ufton Cantoris) 1905-24
(Select Preacher) 1906
(D.D.) 1924
(Dean, Carlisle) 1924-d

1903-1907

►**James Henry Kempson 1869-....** **1907-1911**
b 27 Mar 1869 Cookley, Worcs *6th son of Howard Kempson (Vicar of Ilkley, Yorks) 1825-1910* ***[SCD]*** *and Sarah Sophia only dau Charles Pugh (Vicar of Foxton, Leics)*
(educated at Bedford Grammar School)
(admitted pensioner at Christ's, Cambridge) 3 Jul 1889 [VENN]
(matriculated) Michs 1889
(B.A.) 1892
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1893
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1894
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1893-5 1901-4
(Stipendiary Curate, Lichfield St Mary, Staffs) 1895
(Stipendiary Curate, Ilkley, Yorks) 1895-1901
(M.A.) 1897
(Vicar, Cannock, Staffs) 1907-11
(Surrogate)
(Vicar, Penkridge, Staffs) 1911-37
(Temporary Chaplain to the Forces, mentioned in despatches) 1914-9
(Prebendary, Lichfield Tachbrook) 1933-p1948
(Canon and Custos of Lichfield) 1937-p1948

►**John Llewelyn Price 1870-1932** **1911-1929**
b 6 Jan 1870 Cefwybedd, Flints *son of James Price*
d 4 Jan 1932
(matriculated non-collegiate from Ayerst Hall, Cambridge) Easter 1891 [VENN]
(migrated to Queens', Cambridge) Michs 1892
(B.A.) 1894
(ordained deacon by St Albans) 1895
(Stipendiary Curate, Boxmoor, Herts) 1895-7
(ordained priest) 1896
(Stipendiary Curate, Boulton, Derbys) 1897-1900

(Vicar, Chellaston, Derbys) 1900-4
(Vicar, Alstonfield, Staffs) 1904-11
(Rural Dean, Alstonfield, Staffs) 1908-11
(M.A.) 1911
(Vicar, Cannock, Staffs) 1911-29
(Rural Dean, Rugeley, Staffs) 1915-29
(Vicar, Prees, Salop) 1929-32
(Prebendary, Lichfield -----, Staffs) 1929-32

►**John Frederick Foster c1882-....** **1929-....**
(Associate, King's College, London) 1916
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1916
(Stipendiary Curate, Walsall Wood, Staffs) 1916
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1917
(Vicar, Cannock, Staffs) 1929-p1939

Frederick Alexander Routley Chapman c1906-.... **1946-....**
(at Keble College, Oxford)
(B.A.) 1929
(at Wells Theological College) 1929
(ordained deacon by Southampton) 1930
(ordained priest by Southampton) 1931
(M.A.) 1933
(Vicar, Bloxwich, Staffs) 1942-6
(Vicar, Cannock-cum-Chadsmoor, Staffs) 1946-....

John Kenneth Linford 1931-.... **1978**
b 1931
(at University of Liverpool)
(B.A.) 1952
(at Chichester Theological College) 1954
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1956
(Stipendiary Curate, Stoke-upon-Trent -----, Staffs) 1956-61
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1957
(Vicar, Tunstall Christ Church, Staffs) 1961-70
(Vicar, Sedgley, Staffs) 1970-8
(surrogate) 1972
(Rector, Cannock, Staffs) 1978
(Vicar, Hatherton, Staffs) 1979

Assistant Clergy

Richard Jones e1650-.... **1690**
(Reader, Cannock, Staffs)
- (as M.A., appointed) 17 Jan 1690

►**Henry Hollier B.A. (Reader of Cannock, Staffs) c1670-....**
c 23 Oct 1670 Cannock *son of Walter Hollier (P.C. of Cannock, Staffs) c1637-....* ***[SCD]***
(aged 18, matriculated from Magdalen, Oxford) 17 Dec 1688 [FOSTER]
(B.A.) 1692
(ordained deacon by Oxford) 25 Sep 1692
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 3 Sep 1694
(Reader, Cannock, Staffs)
- (appointed) 17 Apr 1696
(Vicar, Aston by Birmingham, Warwicks) 17 Sep 1696-a4 Oct 1716

- (presented by Sir Charles Holte of Aston by Birmingham, Warwicks 3rd Baronet 1649-1722)
- (admitted) 17 Sep 1696
- (resigned as he could not take the oath)

Edmund Ryves ?1674-1728 **1702**
b ?1674 Bransbury, Hants *son of John Ryves of Barton Stacey, Hants c1643-.... [VIS.HANTS. 1686] and Mary dau of John Shelton of West Bromwich, Staffs Esquire c1616-1665*
[? m 17 Aug 1713 Wolverhampton: Margaret James]
d 3 Nov 1728
("his father a major of militia; he born at Bransbury, Hants June or Jul 1674") [FOSTER]
(aged 16[sic], matriculated from Magdalen, Oxford) 5 Jul 1689
(Demy) 1689-1701
(B.A.) 1693
(M.A.) 16 Mar 1695.6
(ordained priest by Oxford) 24 Dec 1699
(Fellow) 1701-14
(Reader, Cannock, Staffs)
- (appointed) 30 Nov 1702
(Rector, Swynnerton, Staffs) 17 May 1707-d
- (presented by Oxford Chancellor, Masters & Scholars)
- (admitted) 17 May 1707
(B.D.) 17 Jan 1707.8
(D.D.) 1708
(author, "A Visitation Sermon at Stafford", published) 1717
[SIMMS]

►**John Metcalfe (Vicar of Longdon, Staffs) c1749-1800** **1772-1773**
b c1749 *son of John Metcalfe of Richmond, Yorks gentleman*
m ----- -----
d a15 Dec 1800
(aged 15, matriculated from University College, Oxford) 11 Apr 1764 [FOSTER]
(B.A.) 1768
(M.A.) 1770
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs)
- (appointed) 1 Oct 1772 & 5 Sep 1773
(as of University College, Oxford, ordained priest by Lichfield to title of Cannock) 5 Sep 1773
(Vicar, Longdon, Staffs) 8 Mar 1792-d
- (presented by Henry Egerton c1729-1795 *qua* Prebendary of Longdon)
- (instituted) 8 Mar 1792
chn: John Metcalfe b c1785 **[SCD]**

►**Joseph Fern 1774-....** **1798**
c 20 Jan 1774 Lichfield St Mary *son of John Fern of Lichfield, Staffs gentleman*
(aged 18, matriculated from Brasenose, Oxford) 6 Feb 1792 [FOSTER]
(B.A.) 1795
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 4 Sep 1796
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 9 Sep 1798
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs)
- (presented by John Oldershaw c1760-1824 *qua* Perpetual Curate of Cannock)
- (appointed) 24 Aug 1798

William Blow Collis (P.C. of Norton-under-Cannock, Staffs) 1779-1855 **1803**
c 5 Jan 1779 Old Swinford, Worcs *son of George Collis of Old Swinford, Worcs gentleman and Ann (-----)*
m Maria -----
d *aged 78[sic]* 29 Jul 1855 Cannock [GENT.MAG]
(aged 16, matriculated from Worcester College, Oxford) 23 Jun 1795 [FOSTER]

(B.A.) 1799
(M.A.) 1802
(ordained priest by Lichfield, to title of Cannock) 22 May 1803
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 22 May 1803
(Stipendiary Curate, Acton Trussell-cum-Bednall, Staffs)
- (nominated) 21 Jan 1811
- (appointed) 7 Jun 1811
(Perpetual Curate, Norton-under-Cannock, Staffs) 25 Apr 1814-?d
- (appointed) 25 Apr 1814
(Stipendiary Curate, Acton Trussell-cum-Bednall, Staffs)
- (licensed) 20 Dec 1832
chn: Maria Ann Collis b 6 Jun 1806; c 10 Jun 1806 Cannock; m 25 Apr 1826 Cannock:
William Downes of "The Beeches", Handsworth; d 1862
Henry Collis c 15 Dec 1807 Cannock; i 16 Dec 1807 Cannock
William Blow Collis b 12 Nov 1808; c 20 Nov 1808 Cannock
George Richmond Collis b 16 Dec 1809; c 8 Jan 1810 Cannock
Edward Henry Collis b 7 Jun 1812; c 4 Sep 1812 Cannock

►**Thomas Bradburne 1783-1859** **1817**
c 1 Nov 1783 Lichfield St Michael [IGI] *2nd son of Samuel Bradburne of Pipe Hill House, Lichfield*
d *aged 76* 19 Dec 1859 Lichfield
(admitted pensioner at Christ's, Cambridge) 22 Feb 1801 [VENN]
(matriculated) Lent 1801
(Scholar) 1801
(B.A., 5th Wrangler) 1805
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 7 Sep 1806
(Stipendiary Curate, Colwich & Weston, Staffs)
- (licenced) 7 Sep 1806
(priest Vicar Choral, Lichfield Offley)
- (appointed) 12 Apr 1808
(M.A.) 1808
(Fellow) 1810-29
(Stipendiary Curate, Hints & Weeford, Staffs)
- (appointed) 30 Jan 1817
(?Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1817 [PITT (1817)]
(Rector, Toft & Caldecote, Cambs) 1827
- (instituted) 4 May 1827
- (sequestered by the Bishop for non-residence) Jul 1840
- (sequestration rescinded)
- (re-sequestered by the Bishop for non-residence) 19 Oct 1842

When Robert Hill's Wall estate was sold in 1813 what was called Moat Bank House and 94a were bought by the tenant Samuel Bradburne, the owner of the Pipe Hill House estate. Samuel (d. by 1834) left Moat Bank to his second son, the Revd. Thomas Bradburne. He was succeeded in 1859 by his nephew John Bradburne, who died in or shortly before 1879, when the house and 11a were offered for sale along with Pipe Place Farm. [VCH]

►**George Burton Potts Latimer c1809-1870** **1834**
b c1809 *4th son of Edward Latimer of Holywell, Oxon gentleman 1775-1845 and Elizabeth (Jones) (who m 24 Jun 1799)*
d *aged 61* cMay 1870 Tynemouth RD, Northumbs
(aged 19, matriculated from Pemroke, Oxford) 3 Jul 1828 [FOSTER]
(B.A.) 1833
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 6 Jul 1834
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs)
- (licensed) 6 Jul 1834
(Perpetual Curate, Birmingham St Paul) 1848-....
(M.A.) 1852

►Henry George Maxwell c1847-.... **1872-....**
b c1847 *2nd son of Charles Maxwell of Wyddiall, Herts clerk*
(aged 18, matriculated from St John's College, Oxford) 31 Jan 1865 [FOSTER]
(B.A.) 1868
(ordained deacon by Rochester) 1870
(Stipendiary Curate, Widdial, Herts) 1870-2
(M.A.) 1871
(ordained priest by Rochester) 1871
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1872-5
(Stipendiary Curate, Holborn St Andrew, London EC) 1875-82
(Assistant Chaplain, H.M. Prison Coldbathfields) 1882-6
(Rector, Meesden, Herts) 1889-94

►Edward Forster Wanstall 1845-1922 **1873-1875**
b 22 Nov 1845 Rocester, Staffs *son of Richard Wanstall c1814-1869* ***[SCD]***
m 23 Jul 1879 Margaret 2nd dau of T. Blanchard Burland
d 20 Sep 1922 "South House", Barton Road, Cambridge
(educated at Marlborough College)
(admitted pensioner at St Catharine's, Cambridge) 26 Sep 1867 [VENN]
(matriculated) Michs 1867
(Scholar)
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1870
(B.A.) 1871
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1871
(Stipendiary Curate, Sheriff Hales-cum-Woodcote, Staffs) 1870-3
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1873-5
(M.A.) 1874
(Stipendiary Curate, Christ Church, Brighton) 1875-81
(Vicar, Shrewsbury St George) 1881-2
(Vicar, Wolverhampton St Paul, Staffs) 1882-1907
(Vicar, Berry Pomeroy, Devon) 1907-9
(Rector, Langridge, Soms) 1910-15
(in retirement of "South House", Barton Road, Cambridge)
(author, "Things New and Old")

►Thomas Charles Hairs 1849-1919 **1877-1879**
b cMay 1849 Birmingham RD
m 1876 Birmingham: Caroline Elizabeth Young; b c1852
d cFeb 1919 Shardlow RD, Derbys
(at Birmingham Theological College)
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1874
(Stipendiary Curate, Bradley St Martin, Staffs) 1874-6
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1875
(Stipendiary Curate, Lower Gornal, Staffs) 1876-7
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1877-9
(Stipendiary Curate, Mile End All Saints, Stepney) 1879-81
(Stipendiary Curate, Stratford-le-Bow) 1881-3
(Stipendiary Curate, Alvaston-cum-Boulton, Derbys) 1883-4
(Vicar, Alvaston, Derbys) 1884-p1906
chn: [7 chn]

►William Francis Singleton c1846-.... **1880-1881**
(at Trinity College, Dublin)
(ordained deacon by Tuam) 1870
(ordained priest by Tuam) 1871
(Stipendiary Curate, West Bromwich -----, Staffs) 1878-80
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1880-1

►William Isaac Carr Smith 1856-.... **1880-1883**
b *as William Isaac Smith* cAug 1856 Boulton in Shardlow RD, Derbys

(at Lichfield Theological College)
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1880
(Stipendiary Curate, Darlaston All Saints, Staffs) 1880
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1880-3
- (aged 24, b Boulton, Derbys, lodging at Cannock "Curate of Cannock") 1881 C
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1881
(Stipendiary Curate, Stafford St Chad) 1883-4
(Stipendiary Curate, Willenhall St Stephen, Staffs) 1884-7
(Assistant Diocesan Inspector, Lichfield) 1883-7
(Vicar/Rector, Longton St John, Staffs) 1887-96
- (presented by Trustees)
- (instituted) 1887
(Chaplain to Earl Beauchamp, Governor of N.S.W.) 1899-p1906
(Rector, Sydney St James, N.S.W.)
- (of 221 Macquarie Street, Sydney) 1906

►Edwin Arthur Barraclough 1858-1934 **1881-1882**
b 13 Feb 1858 Leeds *son of Alfred Barraclough*
d 13 Jan 1934 "Old Rectory House", Walton-in-Gordano, Clevedon
(educated at Leeds Grammar School)
(at Lichfield Theological College) 1879
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1881
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1881-2
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1882
(matriculated non-collegiate, Cambridge) Lent 1883 [VENN]
(aged 25, admitted at Jesus College, Cambridge)
(Stipendiary Curate, Cambridge All Saints) 1882-6
(Vicar, West Haddon, Northants) 1887-92
(Vicar, St Paul's, St Helena) 1894-8
(Canon, St Paul's Cathedral, St Helena) 1895-8
(Chaplain to the Forces at Colombo) 1900-2
(Stipendiary Curate, Denton, Norfolk) 1902-3
(Stipendiary Curate, Presteign) 1910-11
(Stipendiary Curate, Atherstone) 1919-20
(licensed to preach at Walton, Soms) 1921-34
(in retirement of "Old Rectory House", Walton-in-Gordano, Clevedon)

►Walter Atkins 1858-1939 **1883-1885**
b 11 Jul 1858 Woolwich, Kent; c 11 Aug 1858 ----- *son of Francis Thomas Atkins chemist*
d 26 Feb 1939 Oxford
(admitted pensioner at St John's, Cambridge) 27 Apr 1877 [VENN]
(matriculated) Michs 1877
(B.A.) 1881
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1883
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1883-5
(M.A.) 1884
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1884
(Stipendiary Curate, Battersea All Saints) 1885-7
(Stipendiary Curate, Hampstead) 1887-90
(Stipendiary Curate, Kilburn St John the Evangelist) 1890-4
(Stipendiary Curate, Reading Grey Friars) 1895-7
(Stipendiary Curate, Great-cum-Little Horkesley) 1897-1907
(Rector, Hinxworth, Herts) 1907-32

►Thomas Rogerson c1856-.... **1884-1892**
b c1856 ?Oulton, Yorks
m Mary A. -----; (aged 36, b Leicester) 1891 C
(at Lichfield Theological College) 1878
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1880
(Stipendiary Curate, Kidsgrove, Staffs) 1880-1

(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1881
(Stipendiary Curate, Tatenhill, Staffs) 1881-4
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1884-92
- (aged 39, b ?Oulton, Yorks, of Cecil Street, Cannock "Clergy in holy orders")
1891 C
(Rector, Wrockwardine Wood, Salop) 1892-1906
(Vicar, Tideswell, Derbys) 1906-19
(Vicar, Stanford-upon-Avon-cum-Swinford) 1919-....
chn: Evelyn M. Rogerson (aged 7, b Tatenhill) 1891 C
Edith A. Rogerson (aged 6, b Cannock) 1891 C
Thomas Scott Rogerson b cMay 1886 Cannock RD [? also at Atherstone RD] **[SCD]**
Emily B. Rogerson (aged 3, b ?????, Staffs) 1891 C
Walter J.L. Rogerson (aged 1, b ?????, Staffs) 1891 C

►Ernest James Cullwick 1861-.... **1885-1892**
b cMay 1861 Bromsgrove RD
(at Lichfield Theological College) 1883
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1885
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1885-92
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1886
(Stipendiary Curate, Tamworth, Staffs) 1892-4
(Stipendiary Curate, Derby St Andrew) 1894-9
(Stipendiary Curate, Harborne, Staffs) 1899-1903
(Vicar, Smethwick St Michael, Staffs) 1903-19
(Vicar, Lyonshall, Herefs) 1919-30
(Rector, Westbury, Salop) 1930-p1936

►George Roper c1858-1902 **1893-1895**
b c1858 Wellington, Salop *son of George Roper*
d 26 Mar 1902; M.I. (Coven)
(matriculated non-collegiate, Cambridge) Michs 1874
(admitted pensioner at St Catharine's, Cambridge) 25 Oct 1876 [VENN]
(B.A.) 1879
(ordained deacon by York) 1877
(ordained priest) 1879
(Stipendiary Curate, Sheffield St James) 1879-83
(Chaplain to Sheffield General Infirmary) 1883-91
(Stipendiary Curate, Darfield 2nd Mediety, Yorks) 1891-3
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1893-5
(Stipendiary Curate, Brewood, Staffs) 1895-9
(Vicar, Coven, Staffs) 1899-d

►Charles Dixon Hoste 1872-.... **1895-1898**
b 7 Feb 1872 *5th son of Dixon Edward Hoste of Havelock Lodge, Brighton*
(educated at Brighton College)
(educated at Cheltenham College)
(aged 19, admitted at Pembroke, Cambridge) 1890 [VENN]
(matriculated) Michs 1890
(B.A.) 1893
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1895
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1895-8
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1896
(M.A.) 1898
(Domestic Chaplain to the Bishop of Wakefield) 1898-1902
(at Pembroke College Mission, Walworth) 1903-4
(Vicar, Almondbury, Yorks) 1905-14
(Vicar & Rural Dean, Dewsbury, Yorks) 1914-16
(Stipendiary Curate, Epsom, Surrey) 1916-17
(Rector, Marlborough St Peter-cum-St Paul) 1917-29
(Rural Dean, Marlborough) 1925-9
(Canon and Prebendary, Salisbury) 1926-9

(licensed to officiate in Southern Rhodesia) 1929
(Vicar, Hordle, Hants) 1931-5
(author, "The Achievement of Nazareth"; "The Partnership of Nazareth")
(in retirement of 21 Marlborough Road, Bournemouth) 1936-p1941

►Arthur Herbert Lanfear 1864-1940 **1895-1900**
b cFeb 1865 Hungerford RD *3rd son of Thomas Lanfear of Bath*
d aged 75 1940 Bromley RD, Kent
(admitted pensioner at Corpus Christi, Cambridge) 1 Oct 1885
(matriculated) Michs 1885
(B.A.) 1890
(at Ridley Hall, Cambridge) 1891
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1892
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1893
(Stipendiary Curate, Wolverhampton St James) 1892-5
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1895-1900
(Vicar, Oakengates Holy Trinity, Salop) 1900-7
(Vicar, Wolverhampton St Paul, Staffs) 1907-19
(Vicar, Great Wyrley, Staffs) 1919-35
(in retirement of 11 Anerley Park, London)

►Herbert George Rosher 1870-1938 **1895-1903**
b cNov 1870 Pancras RD, London *6th son of Frederick Rosher of London*
m 17 Sep 1901 Edith Mary youngest dau of Edwin Kitchin Lewns of Rye
d *aged 67* 18 Jul 1938 London
(educated at Monkton Combe)
(aged 21[sic], admitted at Pembroke College, Cambridge) 1 Oct 1890 [VENN]
(matriculated) Michs 1890
(B.A.) 1893
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1895
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1895-1903
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1896
(M.A.) 1898
(Vicar, Burton-upon-Trent St Chad, Staffs) 1903-5
(Vicar, Lilleshall, Salop) 1905-10
(Vicar, Palmerston, New Zealand) 1911-15
(Chaplain, R.A.C.D.) 1914-9
(Serbian Order of St Sava: 5th Class)
(Vicar, Tamworth, Staffs) 1917-22
(Rural Dean, Tamworth, Staffs) 1918-22
(Vicar, Lytham, Lancs) 1922-d

(His medal sold at auction, 21 Sep 1901) 1914-15 Star (Rev., A.C.D.); British War and Victory Medals (Rev.); Serbian Order of St Sava, 5th class breast badge, silver and enamels, mounted as worn, very fine or better (4) Hammer Price £380

►Stephen Percy Warren (Vicar of Longsdon, Staffs) 1869-1946 **1895-1896**
b 18 Feb 1869 Stoke Newington School, Theobalds, Waltham Cross *3rd son of Stephen Warren of Waltham Cross*
m 3 Feb 1897 Beatrice Ethel 2nd dau of John Smith Charles of Pelsall House, Walsall; (aged 35, b Ashby-de-la-Zouch, Leics) 1901 C
d 8 Feb 1946 Leek
(admitted at Caius, Cambridge) 1 Oct 1891 [VENN]
(matriculated) Michs 1891
(B.A.) 1894
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1895
(ordained priest) 1896
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1895-6
(Stipendiary Curate, Tamworth, Staffs) 1896-1900
(Stipendiary Curate, Leek All Saints, Staffs) 1900-6
- (aged 32, b Stoke Newington, of "The Parsonage", Longsdon "Clergyman church of

England") 1901 C
(Vicar, Longsdon, Staffs) 1906-21
(licensed to officiate in the diocese of Lichfield) 1921-....
chn: Stephannie H. Warren (aged 3, b Hopwas) 1901 C
Hugh St John Percy Warren b cMay 1899 Hopwas **[SCD]**

►William Alfred Rowland Hill 1861-.... **1897-1904**
b cAug 1861 Birmingham RD
(at University of Durham)
(B.A.) 1890
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1890
(Stipendiary Curate, Ogley Hay, Staffs) 1890-7
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1892
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1897-1904
- (aged 39, b Birmingham, unm. of Cannock "Clergyman C of E") 1901 C
(Stipendiary Curate, Stoke-upon-Trent -----, Staffs) 1904-7
(Stipendiary Curate, Leek St Luke, Staffs) 1907-8
(Vicar, Warslow-cum-Elkstone, Staffs) 1908-p1920
(M.A.) 1910
(Rural Dean, Alstonfield, Staffs) 1911-p1920

►Henry Charles Asgill Colvile 1868-.... **1898-1901**
b 11 May 1868 *1st son of Charles Frederick Colvile of 45 Emperor's Gate, South Kensington, London (Lieut.-Colonel) 1843-.... and Mary Eliza dau of Charles Rowe of Liverpool*
m 7 Jun 1910 Norah Eileen only dau of Wilson Thomas De Vine c1852-1921 **[SCD]**
(educated at Marlborough)
(of London architect)
(matriculated non-collegiate) Michs 1894
(admitted pensioner at Emmanuel, Cambridge) 5 Oct 1895 [VENN]
(B.A.) 1897
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1898
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1898-1901
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1899
(Stipendiary Curate, Cheddleton, Staffs) 1901-3
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1904-7
(Stipendiary Curate, Ocker Hill, Staffs) 1907-8
(Vicar, Ocker Hill, Staffs) 1908-17
(Rector, Halesowen, Worcs) 1917-36
(M.A.) 1929
(Honorary Canon, Worcester) 1929-p1939
(Rector, Ripple, Worcs) 1939-....
[BLG 1925]
chn: Geoffrey Rollo de Vine Colvile b 25 Aug 1914
Charles Bertram Colvile b 26 Feb 1917
Gilbert John Asgill Colvile b 7 Jun 1918

►Arthur Hankey c1877-.... **1902-1903**
(at New College, Oxford)
(M.A.)
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1900
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1902
(Stipendiary Curate, Wolstanton, Staffs) 1900-2
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1902-3
(Chaplain, Reigate St David's School) ?1906

►James Arthur Price 1873-1922 **1903-1906**
b 22 Jan 1873 Summerhill, Wrexham *son of James Price*
d *aged 49* 16 Oct 1922; i Coseley; M.I. [below]
(admitted pensioner at Queens College, Cambridge) Oct 1894 [VENN]

(matriculated) Michs 1894
(B.A.) 1897
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1898
(Stipendiary Curate, Walsall St Paul, Staffs) 1898-1900
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1899
(Stipendiary Curate, Burslem St Paul, Staffs) 1900-2
(M.A.) 1901
(Stipendiary Curate, Hanley St Jude, Staffs) 1902-3
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1903-6
(Vicar, Longnor, Staffs) 1906-12
(Vicar, Coseley Christ Church, Staffs) 1912-d

(Coseley Christ Church) In loving memory of the Rev. James A. Price, R.D. For ten years Vicar of this Parish, who departed this life, October 16th, 1922, aged 49 years. R.I.P.

►Percival Howard 1875-.... **1904-1907**
b 1875 Blackmoor, Hants *son of William Wathen Howard (Dean of Stamford) ....-1923 and Louisa (Thompson)*
(educated at Radley)
(admitted pensioner at St Catharine's, Cambridge) 21 Aug 1894 [VENN]
(matriculated) Michs 1894
(B.A.) 1897
(at Lichfield Theological College) 1897
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1899
(Stipendiary Curate, Brereton, Staffs) 1899-1904
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1900
(M.A.) 1901
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1904-7
(Stipendiary Curate, Tettenhall, Staffs) 1907-13
(Rector, Lichfield St Michael, Staffs) 1913-47
(Temporary Chaplain to the Forces, 137th Infantry Brigade) 1915-6
(Rural Dean, Lichfield, Staffs) 1923-39
(Prebendary, Lichfield Dasset Parva) 1937-p1947
[BLG (1939) HOWARD OF TINTINHULL COURT]

►David Jones c1878-.... **1906-1907**
(at Lichfield Theological College)
(ordained deacon by Worcester *pro* Lichfield)
(Stipendiary Curate, Longton St James, Staffs) 1902-4
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1903
(Stipendiary Curate, Dresden, Staffs) 1904-6
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1906-7
(Stipendiary Curate, Hartshill, Staffs) 1907-8
(Vicar, Smallthorne, Staffs) 1908-32
(living in retirement) 1947

►Andrew Kirk c1877-.... **1907-1917**
(R.U.I.)
(at Queen's College, Belfast)
(B.A.)
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1901
(Stipendiary Curate, West Bromwich St Paul, Staffs) 1901-4
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1902
(Stipendiary Curate, Wednesbury St Bartholomew, Staffs) 1904-7
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1907-17
(Vicar, West Bromwich Good Shepherd, Staffs) 1917-30
(permission to officiate in the diocese of Lichfield) 1930-2
(of Doagh, co Antrim) 1936 [CROCKFORD]

►Guy Heathman Parkhouse (Rector of Shelton, Staffs) 1871-1968 **1907-1914**

b cFeb 1871 Beccles, Suffolk *son of Samuel Parkhouse*
m 1914 Emily Lane dau of Henry Lane of Wednesfield
d *aged 97* Dec 1968 Fylde RD, Lancs
(educated at Beccles College)
(Associate, King's College, London) 1900
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1900
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1901
(Stipendiary Curate, Wednesfield St Thomas, Staffs) 1900-7
(Stipendiary Curate, in charge, Heath Hayes in Cannock, Staffs) 1907-14
(Vicar, Mowcop St Thomas, Staffs) 30 Sep 1914-27 Oct 1917
- (appointed) 30 Sep 1914
- (resigned) 27 Oct 1917
(Vicar, Wednesfield St Thomas, Staffs) 1917-31
(Surrogate) 1923-59
(Rector, Shelton, Staffs) 1931-59
(Prebendary, Lichfield Gaia Minor) 1939-59
(**Prebendary Emeritus, Lichfield)** 1959-
(in retirement of "Fosbrook House", Lytham, Lytham St Annes, Lancs)
(built New Senior Church Day Schools at Wednesfield and Sunday Schools at Heath Hayes, Cannock)
[WHO'S WHO IN STAFFORDSHIRE 1934]

►**Aubrey Townsend Bennett 1872-....** **1909-1913**
b cAug 1872 Wolverhampton RD
(at University College, Aberystwyth) 1892
(at London University)
(B.A.) 1894
(at St Aidans Theological College) 1895
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1896
(Stipendiary Curate, Wolverhampton St Luke, Staffs) 1896-98
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1897
(Stipendiary Curate, Forsbrook, Staffs) 1898-1900
(Stipendiary Curate, Sedgley, Staffs) 1900-3
(Stipendiary Curate, Smethwick Holy Trinity, Staffs) 1903-09
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1909-13
(Vicar, Upper Gornal, Staffs) 1913-33
(Vicar, Trysull, Staffs) 1933-....

►**Oliver Harry Thomas 1880-....** **1913-1922**
b cNov 1880 Cannock RD, Staffs
(at University of Durham)
(L.Th.) 1909
(ordained deacon by York) 1909
(Stipendiary Curate, Darnall, Sheffield) 1909-11
(ordained priest by York) 1910
(Stipendiary Curate, Norton-under-Cannock, Staffs) 1911-3
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1913-22
(Vicar, Gentleshaw, Staffs) 1922-7
(Vicar, Ettingshall, Staffs) 1927-31
(Vicar, Greenwich, London) 1931-p1936
(Chaplain, Greenwich Trinity Hospital) 1931-....
(Surrogate) 1931-....

►**William Henry Fletcher 1868-....** **1916-1919**
b 1 Nov 1868 Rudyard by Leek, Staffs *son of John Fletcher*
(educated at Denstone College)
(admitted pensioner at Queens College, Cambridge) Michs 1889 [VENN]
(matriculated) Michs 1889
(B.A.) 1892
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1894
(Stipendiary Curate, Wolverhampton St Matthew, Staffs) 1894-1900

(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1895
(M.A.) 1896
(Stipendiary Curate, Bradley St Martin, Staffs) 1900-9
(Stipendiary Curate, Alton, Staffs) 1909-16
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1916-9
(Vicar, Wolverhampton St James, Staffs) 1919-p1942

►Vivian Mason Pooley 1872-1941 **1927-1929**
b 16 Jul 1872
d 18 Apr 1941
(educated at Truro Tregoll's School)
(admitted pensioner at Selwyn House, Cambridge) 1 Oct 1891 [VENN]
(matriculated) Michs 1891
(B.A.) 1894
(Assistant Master, Leamington Bowood House School) 1895-7
(Assistant Master, Plymouth Grammar School) 1898-1900
(Assistant Master, Blackheath School) 1901-2
(Assistant Master, Crosby Merchant Taylors' School, Lancs) 1902-6
(ordained deacon by Liverpool) 1903
(Stipendiary Curate, Formby Holy Trinity) 1903-6
(ordained priest) 1906
(Stipendiary Curate, Chester Holy Trinity) 1906-10
(Stipendiary Curate, Sale St Anne, Cheshire) 1910-12
(Stipendiary Curate, New Ferry) 1912-15
(Stipendiary Curate, Liscard St Mary) 1915-21
(Stipendiary Curate, Birkenhead, St Paul) 1921-6
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1927-9
(Vicar, Avebury, Wilts) 1929-d

►Francis Edward Lafford (Rector of Leigh, Staffs) 1897-1979 **1930-1931**
b 14 Sep 1897 [BMD]
d 1979 Lichfield RD
(at University of Durham) 1928
(at Lichfield Theological College)
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1930
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1930-1
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1931
(Stipendiary Curate, in charge, Heath Hayes in Cannock, Staffs) 1931-5
(Vicar, Great Wyrley, Staffs) 1935-46
(Vicar, Hednesford, Staffs) 1946-57
(Rector, Leigh, Staffs) 1957-70
(in retirement of 22 Wissage Lane, Lichfield) 1977

►John Lawley Brown c1910-.... **1931-1934**
(at St Paul's College, Burgh)
(at St John's College, Durham)
(L.Th.)
(B.A.) 1931
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1931
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1931-4
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1933
(Stipendiary Curate, Bilston St Leonard, Staffs) 1937-40
(Vicar, Wilnecote, Warwicks) 1940-6
(Vicar, Basford, Staffs) 1946-....

►Luke Edward Wheway Freeman 1909-1988 **1934-1937**
b 15 Oct 1909 [BMB]
d *aged 78* Jul 1988 Sandwell RD
(at Exeter College, Oxford)
(B.A.) 1932

(at Lichfield Theological College) 1933
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1934
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1934-7
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1935
(Tutor, Lichfield Theological College) 1937-45
(Chaplain, Lichfield Theological College) 1940-5
(Stipendiary Curate, Shrewsbury St Mary) 1945-8
(Vicar, Moxley, Staffs) 1948-52
(Vicar, Handford, Staffs) Nov 1952-Jan 1960
- (in office) Nov 1952-Jan 1960 [INTERNET]
(Vicar, Tunstall St Mary, Staffs) 1960-75
(retired) 1975
(of "St Mary's Cottage", 3 St Mary's Place, Shrewsbury) 1985

►**John Kingsley Ashton 1891-....** **1938-1944**
b cFeb 1891 Stone RD
(at Chichester Theological College) 1932
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1932
(Stipendiary Curate, Tunstall St Mary, Staffs) 1932-5
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1934
(Stipendiary Curate, Talk-on-the-Hill, Staffs) 1935-8
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1938-44
(Vicar, Endon-cum-Stanley, Staffs) 1944-57
(Vicar, Gayton-cum-Fradswell, Staffs) 1957-....

►**Stanley Frederick Linsley 1903-1974** **1943-1946**
b 19 Oct 1903 Driffield RD, Yorks ER [BMD]
d 1974 Ryedale RD, Yorks
(at University of London) 1920
(at Lichfield Theological College) 24 Oct 1927-....
(ordained deacon by York) 1929
(Stipendiary Curate, North Ormesby, Yorks) 1929-32
(ordained priest by York) 1930
(Vicar, North Ormesby, Yorks) 1932-37
(Vicar, Tunstall Christ Church, Staffs) 1937-43
(Vicar, Cannock, Staffs) 1943-6
(Prebendary, Lichfield Pipa Parva) 1946-54

►**Alleyn Robert Wayte 1933-....** **1961-1966**
b 1933
(at Trinity College, Oxford)
(B.A.) 1956
(M.A.) 1960
(at Westcott House, Cambridge) 1960
(ordained deacon) 1961
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1961-6
(ordained priest) 1962
(Priest-in-charge, Dawley, Salop) 1966-75
(Vicar, Stretton-cum-Claymills, Staffs) 1975-92
(retired) 1992
(permission to officiate in the diocese of Derby) 1992
(of 2 Church Close, Willington, Derby DE65 6EN) 2001

►**John James Neil Quin 1931-....** **1963-1968**
(at St John's College, Oxford)

(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1963
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1963-8
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1964
(Vicar, Sneyd Green, Staffs) 1968-p1974

►**Maxwell Wilfred Welsh 1929-....** **1973-1976**
b 1929
(at Calcutta Bishop's College) 1955
(ordained deacon) 1958
(ordained priest) 1959
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1973-6
(Stipendiary Curate, Wednesfield -----, Staffs) 1976-9
(Vicar, Milton) 1979-86
(Vicar, Croxton-cum-Broughton & Adbaston, Staffs) 1986-p2000

►**Martin Charles Rutter 1954-....** **1979-1982**
b 1954
(ordained deacon) 1979
(ordained priest) 1980
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1979-82
(Stipendiary Curate, Uttoxeter-cum-Bramshall, Staffs) 1982-6
(Vicar, West Bromwich St James, Staffs) 1986-97
(priest-in-charge, West Bromwich St Paul, Staffs) 1989-97
(Rural Dean, West Bromwich, Staffs) 1994-....
(Vicar, West Bromwich St James-cum-St Paul, Staffs) 1997-....

►**Peter Alexander Graysmith 1962-....** **1989-1992**
b 1962
(at University of East Anglia)
(B.Sc.) 1983
(at Westcott House, Cambridge) 1985
(ordained deacon) 1988
(ordained priest) 1989
(Stipendiary Curate, Tettenhall, Staffs) 1988-9
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1989-92
(Team Vicar, Cannock, Staffs) 1992-99
(Vicar, Rocester & Croxden-cum-Hollington, Staffs) 1999-2001

►**Vilda May Steady 1951-....** **1989-1991**
b 1951 *dau of* ----- -----
(at Lincoln Theological College) 1987
(ordained deacon) 1989
(ordained priest) 1994
(Parish Deacon, Cannock, Staffs) 1989-91
(Parish Deacon, Hammerwich, Staffs) 1991-4
(Stipendiary Curate, Hammerwich, Staffs) 1994-5

ST MARY'S SERVICE *AT* CANNOCK

The "service of St Mary" at Cannock was in existence by 1421 when it was granted the contingent remainder of a messuage in Hednesford called "Mokyntonplace", with land adjoining. [VCH]

By 1548 there was a chapel dedicated to St Margaret in the parish, possibly at Huntington. It was endowed with 4d rent, and only one mass was said there each year. It possessed one little bell. By 1563 the chapel was no longer in existence. [VCH]

OUR LADY'S SERVICE *AT* CANNOCK

►**Laurence Peryn c1493-....** **c1518-1548**
(Chantry Chaplain *pro* Our Lady's Service *at* Cannock, Staffs) c1518-1548
- (appointed) c1518
- (had a salary of £4/18/5½) Jun 1548
(Schoolmaster, Cannock Grammar School) c1518-....
- (appointed) c1518
- (said to have kept a grammar school for the past 30 years) 1548 [1915]
- (as schoolmaster to have a salary of £4/14//5½) 20 Jul 1548

Chapels-of-Ease and Missions

BRIDGTOWN

By 1872 the mission of **BRIDGTOWN & GREEN HEATH** was formed. A school-church was built 1874, and an iron church in 1876, and the church of **ST PAUL** in 1899.

The original registers for the period 1936-1970 (Bapts) are deposited at Staffordshire Record Office. [There is no burial ground]

►**John Pritchard c1853-....** **1877-1879**
(at Lichfield Theological College)
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1877
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, in charge, Bridgtown, Staffs) 1877-9
(ordained priest by Bishop Abraham *pro* Lichfield) 1880
(Vicar, Blakenall Heath, Staffs) 1880-1908
(license to officiate in the diocese of Liverpool) 1917-....
(in retirement of Southport)

►**Frederick Parrett c1855-....** **1881-1885**
(at Lichfield Theological College) 1877
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1879
(Stipendiary Curate, Ogley Hay, Staffs) 1879-81
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1880
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, in charge, Bridgtown, Staffs) 1881-5
(Stipendiary Curate, Walsall St Andrew, Staffs) 1885-8
(Vicar, Walsall St Andrew, Staffs) 1889
(Rector, Haughton, Lancs) 1889-1917
(in retirement of "St Columba", Worcester Road, Malvern Link)

James Crook c1898-.... **1923-1929**
(at Lichfield Theological College) 1919
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1921
(Stipendiary Curate, Brierley Hill, Staffs) 1921-3
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1923
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, in charge, Bridgtown, Staffs) 1923-9
(Vicar, St George, Salop) 1929-38
(Vicar, Hanbury, Staffs) 1938-45
(Vicar, Moreton, Staffs) 1945

►**Joseph Stackhouse (Vicar of Walsall Wood, Staffs) c1889-?1956** **1933-1956**
[? d *aged 67* Jun 1956 Cannock RD]
(at St Paul's College, Burgh) 1913
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1917
(Stipendiary Curate, Silverdale, Staffs) 1917-20
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1918
(Stipendiary Curate, Wolverhampton All Saints, Staffs) 1920-1
(Vicar, Gull Lake, Saskatchewan, Canada) 1921-9
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, in charge, Bridgtown, Staffs) 1929-33

(Vicar, Walsall Wood, Staffs) Jun 1933-1956
- (inducted) Jun 1933 [MERRETT]
- (inducted) 25 Oct 1933 [MERRETT]

Herbert Popple e1899-.... **1941-1946**
(at Lichfield Theological College) 1920
(at University College, Durham)
(L.Th.) 1922
(B.A.) 1923
(ordained deacon by Newcastle) 1923
(ordained priest by Newcastle) 1924
(Stipendiary Curate, in charge, Gailey-cum-Hatherton, Staffs) 1941-6
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, in charge, Bridgtown, Staffs) 1946-50
(Vicar, Hanley All Saints, Staffs) 1950-....

►**William Daunford Huzzey Davies 1907-....** **1951-1955**
b cNov 1907 Cardiff RD
(a Methodist minister)
(at Lichfield Theological College)
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1951
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, in charge, Bridgtown, Staffs) 1951-5
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1952
(Vicar, Upper Gornal, Staffs) 1955-8

BRINDLEY HEATH (1889-1954)

By 1889 the mission of **BRINDLEY HEATH** was formed. The church of **ST MARY** was dismantled in 1954.

BROADWAY

By 1950 the mission of **BROADWAY** was formed. The church of **ST GEORGE** was built by 1956.

CHADSMOOR (aka CANNOCK ST CHAD)

By 1872 the mission of CHADSMOOR was formed. A school-church was built in 1874-6, and the church of **ST CHAD** IN 1891-2.

►**Arthur Eli Pavey 1885-....** **1929-1943**
b cFeb 1885 Pancras RD, London
m 14 Jun 1913 Emmeline May dau of Robert Brain and (his 2nd wife) Mary Elizabeth (Kimberlin); b 27 Apr 1887
(at Knutsford Testament School) 1919
(at Chichester Theological College) 1920
(at Lichfield Theological College) 1921
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1922
(Stipendiary Curate, Leek All Saints, Staffs) 1922-4
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1923
(Stipendiary Curate, Tamworth -----, Staffs) 1924-6
(Stipendiary Curate, in charge, Chadsmoor in Cannock, Staffs) 1926-9
(Vicar, Endon-cum-Stanley, Staffs) 1929-43
(Vicar, Hamble-le-Rice, Hants) 1943-....

►**William Sargeant c1909-....** **1935-1936**
(at Lichfield Theological College) 1931
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1933
(Stipendiary Curate, Burton-upon-Trent St Chad, Staffs) 1933-5
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1934
(Stipendiary Curate, in charge, Chadsmoor in Cannock, Staffs) 1935-6
(Rector, Weeford, Staffs) 1936-9
(Vicar, Newborough-cum-Needwood, Staffs) 1939-45
(Chaplain to the Forces, Emergency army Chaplain) 1941-5
(Vicar, Sedgley, Staffs) 1946-56
(Rector, Forton, Staffs) 1956-....
(Rural Dean, Eccleshall, Staffs) 1960-....

GREEN HEATH

By 1872 the mission of **BRIDGTOWN & GREEN HEATH** was formed. The church of ST **SAVIOUR** was built in 1888.

HAZEL SLADE

By 1880 the mission of **HAZEL SLADE** was formed. The church of **ALL SAINTS** was built in 1884.

HEATH HAYES IN CANNOCK
{aka FIVE WAYS}

Mission History

By 1874 the mission of **HEATH HAYES IN CANNOCK** was formed.

Description of Church (St)

The church of **ST CHAD** was closed c1892. The church of **ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST** was built 1902-3 to designs by *Andrew Capper*.

Registers

The original registers for the period 1914-1964 (Bapts), 1960-1976 (Mar) are deposited at Staffordshire Record Office. The original registers for the period 1910-to date (Bur) are at the church.

►**Guy Heathman Parkhouse 1871-....** **1907-1914**
b cFeb 1871 Beccles, Suffolk *son of Samuel Parkhouse*
m 1914 Emily dau of Henry Lane of Wednesfield
(educated at Beccles College)
(at King's College, London)
(Theological Associate)
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1900
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1901
(Stipendiary Curate, Wednesfield St Thomas, Staffs) 1900-7
(Stipendiary Curate, in charge, Heath Hayes in Cannock, Staffs) 1907-14
(Vicar, Mowcop) 1914-7
(Vicar, Wednesfield St Thomas, Staffs) 1917-31
(Surrogate) 1923
(Rector, Shelton, Staffs) 1931-p1936

(built New Senior Church Day Schools at Wednesfield and Sunday Schools at Heath Hayes, Cannock)
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1914-1928

►**Harry Herbert Goodin 1885-....** **1928-1930**
b cAug 1885 Leighton Buzzard RD
(at Lichfield Theological College)
(at University of Durham)
(L.Th.)
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1922
(Stipendiary Curate, Forebridge, Staffs) 1922-5
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1924
(Stipendiary Curate, Leek St Luke, Staffs) 1925-8
(Stipendiary Curate, in charge, Heath Hayes in Cannock, Staffs) 1928-30
(Vicar, Marchington-cum-Marchington Woodlands, Staffs) 1930-3
(Vicar, Hednesford, Staffs) 1933-46
(Rector, Colton, Staffs) 1946-....
(Rector, Blithfield, Staffs) 1946-....

►**Francis Edward Lafford (Rector of Leigh, Staffs) 1897-1979** **1931-1935**
b 14 Sep 1897 [BMD]
d 1979 Lichfield RD
(at University of Durham) 1928
(at Lichfield Theological College)
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1930
(Stipendiary Curate, Cannock, Staffs) 1930-1
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1931
(Stipendiary Curate, in charge, Heath Hayes in Cannock, Staffs) 1931-5
(Vicar, Great Wyrley, Staffs) 1935-46
(Vicar, Hednesford, Staffs) 1946-57
(Rector, Leigh, Staffs) 1957-70
(in retirement of 22 Wissage Lane, Lichfield) 1977

►**Roy Trevor Hibbert (Rector of Forton, Staffs) c1931-....** **1960-1967**
b cAug 1930 Chesterfield RD
(at King's College, London)
(ordained deacon by Lichfield) 1955
(Stipendiary Curate, West Bromwich St Francis, Staffs) 1955-8
(ordained priest by Lichfield) 1956
(Stipendiary Curate, in charge, Heath Hayes in Cannock, Staffs) 1958-60
(Stipendiary Curate, in charge, Sneyd Green, Staffs) 1960-2
(Vicar, Sneyd Green, Staffs) 1962-7
(Vicar, Harlescott, Salop) 1967-81
(Rector, Newport-cum-Longford & Chetwynd, Salop) 1981-96
(Rural Dean, Edgmond) 1982-96
(Rector OR Priest-in-charge, Forton, Staffs) 1984-96
(Prebendary, Lichfield ----) 1987-97
(Rector, Newport-cum-Longford, Chetwynd & Forton, Salop & Staffs) 1996-7
(retired) 1997

HUNTINGTON

No details known

MOSS WOOD

By 1950 the mission of **MOSS WOOD** was formed. The church of **ST BARNABAS** was built in ....

PYE GREEN (1894-....)

By 1894 the mission of **PYE GREEN** was formed. The church of **ST MARK** was built in ....

RAWNSLEY COTTAGE

By 1889 the mission of **RAWNSLEY COTTAGE** was formed. The church of **ST MICHAEL & ALL ANGELS** was built in 1889.

WEST CHADSMOOR

By 1947 the mission of **WEST CHADSMOOR** was formed. The church of **ST AIDAN** was built by 1947. It was converted into a church hall in 1956. A new church of **ST AIDAN** was built in 1955-6 to designs by *Wood, Goldstraw, and Yorath of Stoke-upon-Trent.*

WIMBLEBURY

By 1871 the mission of **WIMBLEBURY** was formed. The church of **ST PAUL** was built 1889-90.